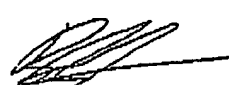


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)</b>					Docket No. <b>T00495-0002-US</b>	
In Re Application Of: <b>VEITCH, Ken</b>						
Application No. <b>10/086,536</b>	Filing Date <b>March 4, 2002</b>	Examiner <b>Walter F. Briney III</b>	Customer No. <b>27155</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2644</b>	Confirmation No. <b>1050</b>	
Invention: <b>UNIVERSAL TIE LINE ADAPTER</b>						
<b><u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></b>						
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u><b>July 9, 2004</b></u> in the above-identified application. <span style="font-size: small; margin-left: 100px;">Date</span>						
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start; margin-top: 5px;"><div>from: <u><b>October 9, 2004</b></u> <span style="font-size: x-small;">Date</span></div><div>until: <u><b>November 9, 2004</b></u> <span style="font-size: x-small;">Date</span></div></div>						
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27						
The fee for the extension of time is <b>\$55</b> and is to be paid as follows:						
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <b>15-0633</b>						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <b>15-0633</b>						
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
<b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>						
 <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Signature</div>			Dated: <b>November 9, 2004</b>			
Robert H. Nakano (Reg. No. 46,498) McCarthy Tétrault LLP Suite 4700, P.O. Box 48 66 Wellington Street West Toronto, Ontario M5K 1E6 Canada 416-601-7852 416-868-0673			<div style="font-size: x-small; padding: 5px;">I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on</div> <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; text-align: center; margin-top: 5px;">(Date)</div> <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; text-align: center; margin-top: 5px;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div> <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; text-align: center; margin-top: 5px;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div>			
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